



General Assembly

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Committee Bill No. 6015

LCO No. 4496



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Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by:
(PS)

**AN ACT PROHIBITING THE CHARGING OF FEES FOR THE
DISPATCH OF EMERGENCY SERVICES IN RESPONSE TO 9-1-1
CALLS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2013*) No municipality may
- 2 assess any person a user fee, service charge or similar fee or charge for
- 3 providing emergency response services in response to a 9-1-1 call
- 4 requesting that such services be dispatched.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>October 1, 2013</i>	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To protect public safety by not discouraging the use of the emergency 9-1-1 network.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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